

By COBB

H.C.R. No. 101

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

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2 the Canadian River has caused the flow of the Canadian River below  
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15 to determine when they are violating the law and when they are  
16 within their rights; and

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18 disappearing and vegetation is covering the old river bed, it is  
19 imperative that action be taken as soon as possible or it will  
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22 WHEREAS, The General Land Office has control of the Canadian  
23 River bed; and

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1 has developed special photographic techniques for mapping and for  
2 determining certain topographical features and have conferred  
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10 RESOLVED by the House of Representatives, the Senate  
11 concurring, That the commissioner of the General Land Office is  
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13 along the boundary of state-owned land beginning at the dam at  
14 Lake Meredith in Hutchinson County and extending to the place  
15 where the Canadian River crosses State Highway 70 in Roberts  
16 County.

## COMMITTEE REPORT

Date 5/7/73

HONORABLE PRICE DANIEL, JR.

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir:

We, your Committee on State Affairs, to whom was  
 referred H.C.R. No. 101, have had the same under consideration  
 and beg to report back with recommendation that it <sup>do</sup> ~~do not~~ pass.

*Yes* The Committee recommends that this measure be considered for the ~~Legislative~~ Consent Calendar.

House sponsor of Senate measure: \_\_\_\_\_

The measure was reported from Committee by the following record vote:

<u>14</u>	ayes
<u>0</u>	nays
<u>0</u>	present, not voting
<u>9</u>	absent

David Finney  
 Chairman.

This measure proposes new law.

SUMMARY OF COMMITTEE ACTION:

The Committee on State Affairs posted notice in  
Accordance with Rule VIII, Section 13, and considered HCR No. 101  
in a public hearing/~~formal meeting~~ on 5/7, 1973. ~~The~~  
~~bill was referred to Sub-committee and reported back Favorably to the~~  
~~full committee with amendment(s) on~~ \_\_\_\_\_, 1973. The  
Committee voted on 5/7, 1973 by a record vote of  
14 ayes and 0 nays, to report the bill back to the House  
Favorably/~~Unfavorably~~ with the recommendation that it do/~~do not~~ pass,  
as ~~amended~~.

This bill proposes new law by adding \_\_\_\_\_

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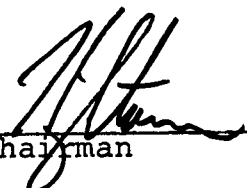
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May 15, 19 73

Honorable William P. Hobby  
President of the Senate

Sir:

We, your Committee on Administration,  
to which was referred H.C.R. No. 101, have had the same  
under consideration, and I am instructed to report it back to  
the Senate with the recommendation that it do \_\_\_\_\_  
pass \_\_\_\_\_ and be \_\_\_\_\_ printed.

  
Chairman

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President of the Senate

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Speaker of the House

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I hereby certify that H.C.R. No. 101 was adopted by the  
House on May 12, 1973.

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Chief Clerk of the House

I hereby certify that H.C.R. No. 101 was adopted by the  
Senate on May 17, 1973.

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Secretary of the Senate

APPROVED:

Filed without

Date

Signature

Governor

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SECRETARY

10:30 AM

MAY 31 1973

Secretary of State

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HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

requesting commissioner of General Land Office to survey Canadian River banks along boundaries of state-owned land.

READ 1st TIME  
AND REFERRED TO COMMITTEE ON

MAR 15 1973

State Affairs

Dorothy Hallman  
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

MAY 7 1973

SENT TO CALENDAR COMMITTEE

REPORTED FAVORABLY [REDACTED]

DATE MAY 12 1973

READ AND ADOPTED

Dorothy Hallman  
CHIEF CLERK  
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

MAY 12 1973

SENT TO ENGRAVING CLERK

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requesting commissioner of General Land Office to survey Canadian River banks along boundaries of state-owned land.\_\_\_\_\_

3-15-73 Read first time and referred to Committee on State Affairs.\_\_\_\_

5- 7-73 Reported favorably, sent to Calendar Committee.\_\_\_\_\_

5-12-73 Read and adopted.\_\_\_\_\_

Dorothy Hallman  
Chief Clerk, H. of R.

5-12-73 Sent to Engrossing Clerk.\_\_\_\_\_

5-12-73 Engrossed.\_\_\_\_\_

Engrossing Clerk, H. of R.

MAY 14 1973 RETURNED FROM THE SECRETARY'S OFFICE

MAY 14 1973

Received from the House

MAY 15 1973

Read, referred to Committee on ADMINISTRATION

MAY 16 1973

Reported favorably. \_\_\_\_\_

Reported adversely, with favorable Committee Substitute; Committee Substitute read first time.

Ordered not printed. \_\_\_\_\_

Regular order of business suspended by

(unanimous consent.

(\_\_\_\_\_ yeas, \_\_\_\_\_ nays.

To permit consideration, reading and passage, Senate and Constitutional Rules suspended by vote of \_\_\_\_\_ yeas, \_\_\_\_\_ nays.

Read second time \_\_\_\_\_ passed to third reading.

Caption ordered amended to conform to body of bill.

Senate and Constitutional 3-Day Rules suspended by vote of

\_\_\_\_\_ yeas, \_\_\_\_\_ nays to place bill on third reading and final passage.

Read third time and passed by

(a viva-voce vote.

(\_\_\_\_\_ yeas, \_\_\_\_\_ nays.

SENT TO ENROLLING CLERK

MAY 17 1973

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OTHER ACTION:

Immediate consideration ordered by  
unanimous consent.

MAY 17 1973

Read and Adopted.

*Charles Schnabel*

Secretary of the Senate

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Returned to HOUSE

Secretary of the Senate

MAY 17 1973

RETURNED FROM SENATE

*Jeremy Hallman*  
Chief Clerk, House of Representatives

MAY 17 1973

SENT TO ENROLLING CLERK